

General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 262

LCO No. 1119

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

Introduced by:

SEN. FREEDMAN, 26th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING ACCESS TO DECEDENTS' ELECTRONIC MAIL ACCOUNTS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to require an Internet service
- 2 provider to provide access to electronic mail accounts and other
- 3 electronic data in the name of a deceased person upon the written
- 4 request, accompanied by a probate certificate, of the administrator or
- 5 executor of such deceased person.

Statement of Purpose:

To allow the administrator or executor of a decedent's estate to have access to the deceased person's e-mail accounts and other electronic data.